GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:201
ANSWERED ON:06.07.2004
SPEED GOVERNORS IN COMMERCIAL VEHICLES OF DELHI
Jha Shri Raghunath

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that commercial vehicles like blueline buses, plying on Delhi roads are not yet fitted with speed governors despite repeated Supreme Court and Delhi High Court instructions; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and the steps taken to rein in the bluline buses?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGHUPATHY)

(a) & (b): In pursuance of the directions issued by the Hon`ble Supreme Court of India and the Hon`ble High Court of Delhi, the Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi have vide their Order No. PCO/STA/II/PF-2/884 dated 19th December, 2003 made it compulsory for all transport vehicles, including Blue-line buses, to have electronic speed governors conforming to AIS:018/2001 standard installed. It is ensured that this requirement is met with before the certificate of fitness in respect of such vehicles is issued. If Delhi Traffic Police finds that any commercial vehicle is plied in violation of these orders, appropriate action is taken against the offending vehicles.